Please do not allow cell phone use on commercial aircraft.
The noise of all that chatter might raise decible levels too
high to be safe. It would no doubt raise everyone's stress
level. We do not need 'airplane rage'. Too many people with
cell phones already have too little respect for others privacy,
or their own. It would be an invasion of one's private space to
have to listen to a seatmate's conversation on a trip of ANY length.
If people can do without smoking during a flight, they surely
can do without a cell phone!
Additionally, I would like to add the following:
· There is no hard evidence that cell phone use doesn't interfere with navigational
instruments.
· Cell phone use would enable terrorists to coordinate a plan of action more
effectively.
· The NPRM would leave it up to flight attendants to police the use of cell phones
onboard the aircraft compromising our ability to maintain a safe, secure cabin
environment and to conduct emergency evacuations.
· It would make an already tense cabin environment even more stressful.